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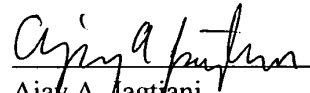
REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application as presently amended is respectfully requested.

The specification has been amended to show the claim of priority for the present application.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is now in condition for allowance, and favorable action is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

Below are the amendments in the accompanying Amendment for the above-identified application shown in redlined format:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the Specification, without prejudice or disclaimer, as indicated below:

Please delete the paragraph at page 1, line 5 to line 12 and substitute therefor the following paragraph:

~~The present~~ This application is a continuation in part of makes reference to co-pending U.S. Patent Application No. 09/501,643, entitled "Flow Cytometry for High Throughput Screening," filed February 10, 2000, which that claims the priority benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/156,946, entitled "Flow Cytometry Real-Time Analysis of Molecular Interactions," filed November 9 September 30, 1999. This application also claims benefit of, and to co-pending U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/330,624, entitled "In-Line Microfluidic Mixers for High Throughput Flow Cytometry," filed on October 26, 2001. The entire contents and disclosure of the above applications are hereby incorporated by reference.